

## Saturday Specials in Gloves

All kinds of Gloves here for summer wear—every weight, every color and the different kinds that you will want to take with you on your vacation outing can be had here at the most reasonable prices.

Silk Gloves from 50c to \$1.00 pair, with double tips and guarantee ticket with every pair; all of the popular shades—black, white, tan, grey, pongee, chamamois, yellow, wistaria, old rose, green and Copenhagen.

Long Silk Gloves of heavy Milanese silk; black, tan, white, pongee, chamamois, pink, light blue, navy and cardinal, at \$1.00 and 50c.

Chamoisette Gloves, the popular Glove of to-day; these wash and look as well as before; two-clasp at wrist; natural, chamamois and white, at 25c and 50c.

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Elbow Length Natural Yellow Chamoisette, two small clasps at wrist; the \$1.00 kind for 59c.

Lisle Thread Gloves, high silk lustre, two-clasp, fine imported goods; black, white, tan and grey, 25c and 50c.

Long Silk Lisle Gloves, full elbow length, the finest Glove made; white, black and tan; \$1.00 quality for 59c; \$1.50 quality for 79c.

Sample pairs of Gloves, long and short, two-clasp or elbow length; colors, black, white, tan and natural chamamois; 50c and 75c values at 29c.

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## Gloves For June Brides

We make a specialty of Gloves to match special costumes for brides, bridesmaids, graduates, etc., and this is a Glove Department that you can rely upon. The stock is complete with all colors, either long or short.

Short White Gloves at \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

12-button length at \$3.00  
16-button length at \$3.50  
20-button length at \$4.00

## Miller & Rhoads

## CONTRACT GOES TO GILBERT HUNT

Subcommittee Recommends Acceptance of Bid for State Fair Building.

Gilbert J. Hunt was last night awarded the contract for the exhibits building to be erected at the State Fair Grounds, the Subcommittee on Grounds and Buildings deciding in his favor. He agreed to reduce the original bid so that it would come within the sum of \$45,000, the amount appropriated for this purpose by the City Council.

All of the original bids were rejected because they exceeded the figure named by the resolution of Council. Mr. Hunt's bid was the lowest and his plans were most satisfactory to the committee.

A committee representing the State Fair Association conferred with the Subcommittee on Grounds and Buildings last night, with the result that the subcommittee recommended to the main body that Mr. Hunt's bid be accepted.

No Action on Franchise. No action was taken by the City Council, Committee on Streets last night in the matter of the proposed rehabilitation of the lines of the Virginia Railway and Power Company. A number of the officials of the company were present with maps, but owing to the small attendance of members of the committee, it adjourned.

ONE Dozen Heavy Gold Plated Safety Pins, 25c. SMITH & WEBSTER, 612 E. Main. Jewelers, Time Specialists.

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The standard of Shoe quality for men's wear.

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## TRUST BIG STICK FAILS TO TERRIFY

Threat Now to Build "Spite House" Not Likely to Be Carried Out.

### REASON FOR IT TOO PLAIN

Brooks Reminded That Syndicate's Biggest Productions Appear at Academy.

To those familiar with the theatrical situation in Richmond, the latest cry of the theatrical trust, which does business under the firm name and style of Klaw & Erlanger, to the effect that the syndicate is prevented from sending many of its best shows to Richmond by the limited space at the Academy of Music, is laughable, to say the least. Ever since the question of the "big stick" was first actively agitated in Richmond, the trust has been fighting tooth and nail to keep the Academy of Music "closed," that is, to confine the attractions presented in this house to the offerings of Messrs. Klaw & Erlanger.

As soon as the fight is lost, and Jake Wells persuades the directors of the Leath Theatrical Circuit that the public wants the houses of the circuit open to the attractions offered by the independents, down comes Joseph Brooks from New York with a big stick uplifted in the form of a threat to build a new playhouse.

Brooks is a gentleman, the accredited representative of Klaw & Erlanger, after stating that Jake Wells and Greener Neal "will be sorry," further proceeded, according to published interviews, to explain why his trust didn't want the Academy of Music anyhow, for the reason that the stage was not large enough to accommodate some of the syndicate's attractions. Now comes the question: What attractions can he possibly refer to?

Does Brooks Forget These? It will be remembered that Klaw & Erlanger have for years played up "Ben Hur" as the biggest attraction in this country, which it probably is, and yet that was produced on this same "small" stage, and with three choruses in the race scene. Only in one theatre has a larger number been used, the Auditorium, Chicago, where the stage allowed the use of five. Again, the trust has widely advertised "Humpty Dumpty" as the biggest of all musical extravaganzas, carrying more people, more properties, more costumes than any other show. This also was played at the Academy of Music. Then, again, E. H. Sothern's "Proud Prince" was played with full properties on this stage, and it would be hard to build, or even to imagine, a heavier production than this. It is possible that Mr. Brooks had in mind "Kentucky Boy," "Blue Grass," "Silver Star," "The Air King," "The Pearl and the Pumpkin" or "The White Cat" as attractions that his trust could not send to Richmond, and he is doubtless right in this, for reason that they are all too big to have been consigned to the storehouse.

After all, so far as the playgoers in Richmond are concerned, the situation is this: In spite of all the efforts of Klaw & Erlanger, Joseph Brooks and his associates, Jake Wells has won his fight; the Academy of Music and the other houses in the Leath circuit will be "open" next season, and the chances are that the public will have an opportunity to see these shows and better productions than they have been offered for many a day. W. D. G.

### DIXWIDDE SHERIFF MAY WANT WILLIAM MACK

Information was received yesterday by the police to keep William Mack, colored, until Sheriff Glasha, of Dinwiddie, comes to Richmond. It is believed by that officer that Mack is wanted for murder, Mack of now in the City Hospital with a fractured skull.

### THINK KIDNAPPER GOT NORTH CAROLINA BOY

Detectives are searching for a wealthy man who is supposed to have kidnapped Royall, a seven-year-old, of Rougemont, N. C. A letter was yesterday received by Major Warner requesting that the lad be located.

It was explained by W. A. Cerver, the father of the boy, that the man took Royall last Tuesday. It is said the alleged kidnapper resides on a farm near the town of Raleigh, and the missing boy has been found by the local authorities.

## CARDS ARE ISSUED TO FOOL VOTERS

Three Specimens Produced to Aid Washington Ward Independents.

### COMMITTEE STANDS PAT

Appoints Men to Aid Southside Delegation to Elect Nominees.

Positive determination on the part of the City Democratic Committee to stand by its ticket in Washington Ward was evidenced last night, when a committee of three was appointed to assist the ward delegation in securing the election of the ticket, and the defeat of the independents in next Tuesday's election. Messrs. R. N. Goode, J. M. N. Allen and Jesse A. Ladd constitute the committee.

Attempts to deceive the voters of the Southside ward were alleged in the meeting, no less than three different cards being produced. The first of these was prepared by the ward delegation in the City Committee, and contains the names of the party nominees. Both the other cards were the product of other parties, but are exactly alike in form, size and general appearance, even down to the type. The difference is in the contents. One has eleven names instead of the eight named by the committee, thus comprising all the candidates, including the independents. These are heralded as the "Democratic nominees" by a line at the top.

### Ingenious Work.

The remaining card has the names of R. L. Patram, J. W. Moore and J. D. Reams, the two former being two of the committee nominees, while Mr. Reams is an independent. Under the heading "For Common Council" is printed only the names of the two independents—W. D. Ferguson and John S. Wakefield. They are also called "Democratic nominees."

It was alleged in the meeting that these deceptive cards were the work of Republicans, who hope to disrupt the Democracy of the ward by securing the election of one or more independents to the City Council.

The meeting last night was held at Murphy's Hotel. The committee was appointed of a committee was offered by R. N. Goode and received unanimous endorsement. There was no dissent from the general opinion that the committee would support the nominees of the party until the polls close on Tuesday.

Secretary Duke suggested that Chairman Miles M. Martin indite a letter addressed to the voters of the ward, urging them to support the ticket, the communication to be published in the paper. The letter was left to the ward delegation and the special committee.

Following is a complete list of the candidates whose names will appear on the official ballots in next Tuesday's election. In every case the names are those only of the nominees of the recent Democratic primary, excepting in Washington Ward.

City Ward.  
For Board of Aldermen—John F. Don Leavy, John J. Mitchell.

For the Common Council—C. P. Davis, John T. Powers, W. Fred, Richardson, Clarence A. Seaton, Jacob Umlauf, Lee Ward.

For Board of Aldermen—W. J. Gilman, Marx Gunst.

For the Common Council—Claude L. Batking, W. D. Butler, E. H. Ferguson, H. R. Pollard, Jr., Clyde H. Ratcliffe, Henry Ward.

For Board of Aldermen—Barton H. Grundy.

For the Common Council—Harry Huber, R. L. Peters, Fred H. Powell, A. L. Vonderheide, George W. Ward.

For Board of Aldermen—John B. Biley.

For the Common Council—Geo. McD. Blake, W. H. Boschen, Geo. M. Cease, Clifton M. Miller, E. M. Reade.

For Board of Aldermen—P. H. Donahoe, Joseph E. Powers.

For the Common Council—Barney Bowman, James C. Burke, Edward R. Fuller, Julius A. Hobson, Gilbert K. Pollock.

Jefferson Ward.  
For Board of Aldermen—W. H. Adams, H. W. Melton.

For the Common Council—John Hirschberg, C. H. Wiltshire, John Lynch, Morgan R. Mills, John A. Selph, Marshall Ward.

For Board of Aldermen—John R. Grimes, Arthur C. Nelson.

For the Common Council—George H. Leary, J. H. Peterson, C. E. Richards, Geo. W. Rogers, William E. Sullivan.

Washington Ward.  
For Board of Aldermen—John W. Moore, R. L. Patram, J. R. Perdue, John R. Reams.

For the Common Council—L. R. Brown, W. R. Bradley, W. D. Ferguson, B. Aurelius Gil, Carter C. Jones, John S. Wakefield, W. W. Workman.

### SHIELD OF HONOR

Officers Elected and Atlantic City Next Convention Town.

With the election of officers and the designation of Atlantic City as the next place of meeting, the session of the Supreme Lodge, Shield of Honor, was brought to a close in this city yesterday morning. Resolutions were also adopted thanking the city of Richmond for the hospitality shown the delegates.

The newly elected officers are as follows: Past Supreme Master, J. C. LeGrand Cole, Baltimore; Supreme Master, Chas. E. Siegmund, Baltimore; Junior Supreme Master, Joseph H. Delaney, Philadelphia; Supreme Secretary, William T. Henry, Baltimore; Supreme Treasurer, William H. H. Sultz, Baltimore; Supreme Chaplain, Ferd Clement, Wilmington; Supreme Conductor, Thomas H. Whittle, Baltimore; Supreme Medical Examiner, Geo. S. Sillick, Baltimore; Supreme Inside Guard, Stewart Cornelius, Hempstead, N. Y.; Supreme Outside Guard, D. W. Van Laman, Camden, N. J.; Supreme Finance Committee, William J. Cunningham, Baltimore; Louis E. Silitz, Philadelphia; Harry C. Smith, Baltimore; Charles T. Martin, Wilmington; W. F. Edwards, Baltimore.

Ellis Woman Dismissed. Justice Crutcheff yesterday dismissed Delphia Ellis, colored, charged with the larceny of a diamond-studded watch valued at \$100 from C. P. Pierce. The evidence was insufficient.

Automobile Fixings  
—AT—  
Jacobs & Levy  
Quality Shop

## GIRL STABBED BY JEALOUS SUITOR

Miss Mary Napier Slashed in Side and Arm by Bernie Howard.

### ATTACKED MOTHER, TOO

Women Have Serious Time Until Assailant Fled From Scene.

In a fit of jealous rage, Bernie Howard, twenty-three years old, of 610 South Laurel Street, severely stabbed Miss Mary Napier, eighteen years old, of 1643-A West Broad Street, last night about 9 o'clock after attacking the girl's mother.

When Mrs. Lula Napier tried to prevent the man from attacking her daughter, Howard dealt her a stunning blow in the face and leaped upon Miss Napier. Whipping out his pocket-knife, he slashed her on the arm and then stabbed her in the left side. The girl screamed and shouted for help. Mrs. Napier called until assistance came. Howard then left.

Sergeant Shoemaker, Patrolmen Shepard and Tate were notified. The officers hurried to the scene of trouble. They met Howard a short distance from the Napier home and placed him under arrest. He was taken to the second Police Station, and a charge of felonious cutting was entered against him. An additional charge of assaulting and beating Mrs. Napier was later preferred.

### Filled With Jealousy.

According to the police it seems that Howard has been visiting Miss Napier. He recently became jealous of her. Last night he met the girl and her mother near Howard and Broad Streets, and began upbraiding Miss Napier. He started to go toward the girl, at the same time threatening her. The mother blocked his way. He then struck her with his fist, inflicting a painful wound over Mrs. Napier's eye. Grabbing the girl by the hand, he attacked her with the knife.

Mrs. Napier and her daughter were attended by City Physician Gambrill. It was said that the young woman's injuries are serious, but not necessarily fatal. Warrants were sworn out by the mother and daughter for Howard's arrest.

When locked up Howard denied he cut Miss Napier. He admitted he pushed the girl's mother to one side, and had been "going with" the young woman for some years, and became angered because Mrs. Napier would not let him get to her.

Effort was made to secure bail for Howard, but his friends failed to do so. Justice Crutcheff will try the case this morning.

### FEAST OF PENTECOST

Confirmation at the Synagogue on Monday, With Class of Nine.

The Feast of Pentecost, or Shavuot, is observed by the synagogue to commemorate the revelation of the law at Sinai. It occurs on the sixth day of the third month in the Hebrew calendar. The feast falls on Monday, June 13. The festival is one of a joyous character, and the keynote of its service is the reverent pride that is felt in the historic incident of the giving of the decalogue. A very important part of the service is that devoted to the confirmation of children. This solemn ceremony is made a portion of the day's ritual because of its appropriateness to the theme and thought of the day. There will be a class of nine children confirmed at Beth Abrahah on Monday. The children range from fifteen to sixteen years of age, and they participate in the service by assuming some of its functions, which act typifies their acceptance of the law as did their fathers at Sinai.

Services will be held at Beth Abrahah at 8:30 on Sunday evening and at 10:45 on Monday morning. The regular quartet will be re-enforced by the Choral Society of the congregation, and the traditional melodies of the day will be given in splendid style. Dr. E. N. Callesh will conduct the services and Moses May will direct the choir.

### TO CRUISE THE BAY

Moback Fishing Club Plans to Sail Over Chesapeake Waters.

The annual meeting of the Moback Fishing Club was held Thursday night in the Elks' Home. A number of members were present and the meeting was a most successful one. The club is planning to sail over the Chesapeake waters during the summer cruise.

Finally it was decided that the club take a week's cruise over the waters of the Chesapeake Bay. The cruise will begin on August 14. It is expected that a majority of the club members will take the week's trip.

### AUTOMOBILE SMASHED WHILE ON TRY-OUT RUN

While Dr. Oscar S. Owens's automobile was being driven on the Cary Street Road Thursday night, the machine crashed into a ditch before C. C. Cottrell could apply the brakes. The car was slightly damaged. No one was injured.

Dr. Owens said last night that he was not in the car when the accident occurred. He explained that Mr. Cottrell was repairing it for him, and had taken it out to try it when the crash happened. Dr. Owens said the car was brought to his home at 1118 Bainbridge Street, South Richmond, yesterday afternoon under its own power.

Pool Room Fine Reduced. W. L. Mosley, Ed King, colored, for conducting an objectionable pool room on Broad Street, were yesterday fined \$25 each in District Court by Judge W. M. Moore and Ed King were fined \$100 by Justice Crutcheff. An appeal was taken.

The defendants presented a petition from a number of merchants, asking that leniency be shown Mosley and King. The smaller fine was therefore imposed by Judge Witt.

Police Ticket Appeal. Lee A. Folger, manager of the Gordon Motor Company, was yesterday fined \$5 by Justice Crutcheff because one of the company's cars was driven over a line of hose during a fire at the Ebel building. An appeal was taken. Mr. Folger said he wanted to make sure one of the owner of automobiles being fined while not committing the offense.

Sent On to Grand Jury. Charged with felonious assault, John Harris, colored, was yesterday sent on to the grand jury by Justice Crutcheff. Harris is charged with assaulting Willie Walker.

## Suits Worth Up to \$25.00 Choice \$14.50

Just enough left to last until closing time to-night.

\$2.50 and \$3.00 Straws, \$1.65.

## Gans-Rady Company

## THRILLING MURDER CASE IS APPEALED

Deputy Sheriff Said to Have Connived at Action of Lawless Band—Dream Alleged to Have Caused Negroes' Confession.

Serious accusations against Deputy Sheriff Ed. Carter of Buckingham county, are made in the petition for a writ of error in the case of Dallas Wright, under sentence of death for murder. As previously published, a writ in this case was allowed a day or two ago by the court at Wytheville, the papers having been received yesterday by Clerk H. Stewart Jones.

Carter is said to have had "knowledge and connivance" of a band of men which took Richard Perkins, a negro, accused of the same crime, from others and strung him up several times in order to force a confession. The petition of Attorneys Aubrey E. Strode and Jack Lee says plainly that Carter "lied to Perkins" and called him a "hypocritical deputy sheriff."

The case is an interesting one throughout. The petition and record are very lengthy, the attorneys going into every phase of the case. Argument will be had at the November term of the court in Richmond.

### Circuit Was Changed.

In addition to the strictures of Mr. Carter, a reference is made to State Senator Sands Gayle of Buckingham. It is related in the petition that during the recent legislative session a bill was passed taking Buckingham county from the Twenty-ninth Judicial Circuit and putting it in the Fifth. This, so it is stated, resulted in leaving Judge Gordon only three counties, and giving Judge Hundley six. Without argument or accusation of impropriety, it is apparently left to implication, it is merely said that Senator Gayle, whose firm was engaged to assist in the prosecution, was a member of the Senate.

A dream is said to have played a leading part in the case. On the night of April 17, 1929, a very old and dilapidated log cabin in a thinly settled part of Buckingham county was destroyed by fire. The cabin was owned and occupied by T. C. Stuart and W. L. Stuart, bachelor brothers who were reputed to have money. The fire was seen by a man living some distance away. When neighbors arrived and the flames had been quenched, two bodies were found, both being utterly unrecognizable as a result of the intense heat.

In the house was found part of a shotgun in which there was an expended shell, which was said to have been fired by plunger and not by heat. Pellets of lead were in one of the skulls. An axe was also discovered.

### ALUMNI NIGHT MONDAY

John Marshall High School Association Growing in Interest.

Much interest is being taken in the John Marshall Alumni Association, recently formed for the purpose of encouraging a feeling of good-fellowship among the alumni and providing a library for the John Marshall High School.

Monday night, June 13, will be alumni night of commencement week, and a very interesting program has been arranged for the entertainment of the association in the High School auditorium.

Not only the graduates, but all pupils who attended the school for one year or more, are eligible for membership in the association. It has been impossible to communicate directly with each pupil, and it is hoped that lack of formal notice will keep no one from attending the exercises. The presence of each one is urged at this, the first reunion of the High School Alumni.

### WEALTHY FARMER INSANE

John Cornwall Adjudged a Lunatic by Henrico County Commission.

John Cornwall, a well-to-do farmer of Henrico county, was yesterday adjudged insane by a commission of lunacy composed of Coroner W. A. Deas, W. T. Harris and Magistrate James T. Lewis. Cornwall was taken last night to a private sanatorium for treatment.

Two months ago Cornwall attempted to secure a marriage license permitting his wedding with a Mrs. Ausar, who was employed by him as housekeeper. The clerk of the county court refused the license, but one was later secured from the clerk of the Henrico County Court of the city of Richmond, and they were married.

Karl Cornwall, brother of John Cornwall, will attempt to have the marriage annulled on the ground that his brother was mentally deranged when the wedding took place. To this the home of Charles J. Johnson, end Karl Cornwall have secured counsel and will probably bring suit in the next term of the Henrico Circuit Court.

One Brick, Twenty Dollars. For covering a window in the home of John B. Orgain, Isabella Branch, colored, was yesterday fined \$20 and costs by Justice Crutcheff.

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